





THERE are but two hundred Revolutionary soldiers now living, eighteen having died last year.

\$18,000,000 of Treasury Notes with no available means to meet them, and by the first of July it is believed there will be a deficiency in the U. S. Treasury of \$20,000,00.

FERNIER, a French artist, has made \$200,000 by taking stereoscopic pictures on glass.

It takes eleven thousand two hundred street lamps to light the city of New York.

It is expected that the steamer C. Vanderbilt, ashore on Fisher's Island, will be got off five hundred oil casks have been put into her.

M. BERRYER, in his defence of Montalembert, remarked that he was 78 years of age, and had seen no less than seventeen changes of government in France.

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IN China a man can obtain a divorce from his wife, if he can prove she is jealous.

plaster of Paris sugar, now have "pickled eggs" the pickling is done by putting them in summer in casks containing lime and water, for winter use, when fresh eggs are scarce!

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THE great painting of "The Court of Death," by Rembrandt Peale, has been sold for \$20,000. A beautiful engraving of it is to be executed.

2,400,000 last year. The quality is superior, there being a falling off in weight to twenty per cent., which will make the supply equal to about 1,175,000, as compared with the last year.

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THE U. S. steamer *Fulton*, belonging to the Paraguayan expedition, was reported as having arrived at Maranhão.

tion of its contents, and tumbled down the trunk. No clue as yet has been discovered of the robbers. The trunk contained \$1000 in silver between \$200 and \$300 in bills, and several hundred dollars in gold and silver coins. The bills were taken and a small portion of the jewelry. The balance, with some valuable papers, remained in the safe when it was found. The amount of booty taken, including the pennies, is about fifteen hundred dollars. It is to be expected that the robbers will be making a salutary check before they have an opportunity to repeat the offence.—*Yves Post, 20th.*

About half past 12 o'clock, on Monday night at South Franklin, as Miss Susan Whiting was returning from a marriage party, she was shot through the head by a young man named Jonathan Wales. She fell senseless and died in about two hours. It appears that Wales formed

By steamboat accidents, in the lakes and rivers in 1888, there was occasioned a loss of 36 persons.

By losses by fire in the United States in 1888, excluding all losses less than \$10,000, we make an aggregate of \$12,000,000.

The New York State Prison Inspectors have made a report upon the case of the convict James Moore, who died recently from the effects of a shower bath in Auburn State Prison. The inspectors exculpate the officers of the Prison from blame for intentional recklessness or cruelty, but, in view of the danger attending the shower of the shower bath as a means of punishment, have directed its discontinuance.

WELL ANSWERED.—A chemist was called to prove the badness of the gun supplied by a cer-

**NICHOLAS LONGWORTH**, of Cincinnati, offers to give grapes for the value of one hundred dollars, or the sum of money if preferred for grapes that will be superior to Catawba, for the purpose of wine—the decision of the question is to be left to the Ohio Wine Growers Association.

A MONSTER concert at Paris on a scale of monstrosity never before heard of is projected for April next; 208 choral societies, numbering among them 7000 performers, are to be congregated in the walls of the Crystal Palace in the Champ Elysee.

**DURING** the year 1898, twenty-four murders or man-slaughters were done in Cincinnati. In the same time, only four such murders had been committed in New York, though the population is three times that of Cincinnati.







